

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:)	Confirmation No.: 5077
Masamichi FURUKAWA et al.)	Examiner: Jeffrey L. Williams
Serial No. 10/573,673)	Group Art Unit: 2437
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For: DIGITAL WATERMARK)	
INFORMATION ADDING DEVICE,)	
DATA REPRODUCTION DEVICE)	
AND DATA RECORDING DEVICE)	

AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated July 24, 2009, please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.